



**Free Knitting Pattern**  
**Lion Brand® Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick®**  
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**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate

**SIZE:** One Size  
18 x 12 in. [46 x 30.5 cm] (excluding handles)

**CORRECTIONS:** None

**MATERIALS**

- 640-426 Lion Brand Wool-Ease® Thick & Quick: Cabin Brown  
4 Skeins
- Lion Brand Knitting Needles- Size 8 [5 mm]
- Lion Brand Cable Needles (Set of 2)
- Lion Brand Stitch Holders
- Lion Brand Stitch Markers
- Large-Eye Blunt Needles (Set of 6)

**GAUGE:**

16 sts + 21 rows = 4 in. [10 cm] in Cable Pattern.  
11 sts + 19 rows = 4 in. [10 cm] in Seed stitch.

BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE.

**STITCH EXPLANATION:**

**2/2 RC (2 over 2 right cross)**

Slip 2 sts to cable needle and hold in back, k 2, then k 2 from cable needle.

**2/2 LC (2 over 2 left cross)**

Slip 2 sts to cable needle and hold in front, k 2, then k 2 from cable needle.

**PATTERN STITCH**

**Cable Pattern**

**Row 1:** Knit.

**Row 2 and all WS rows:** Purl

**Row 3:** \* K 2, 2/2 RC, rep from \* to end

**Row 5:** Knit.

**Row 7:** \* 2/2 LC, k 2, rep from \* to end.

**Row 8:** Purl.

Rep Rows 1-8 for pattern.

**Seed stitch (worked over an even number of sts)**

**Row 1:** \* K 1, p 1, rep from \* to end.

**Row 2:** \* P1, k 1, rep from \* to end.

Rep Rows 1-2 for pattern.

**PURSE**

**BACK**

Cast on 74 sts. Purl 1 row.

**Next Row:** K 1, place marker, work in Cable Pattern across 72 sts, place marker, k 1.

Work in pattern as established and, AT THE SAME TIME, dec 1 st each end of center section every 8th row 7 times – 60 sts.  
Work even until piece measures 12 in. [30.5 cm] from beg, end with a WS row.

**Next Row:** Work 9 sts and place on holder, bind off 42 sts, work remaining 9 sts and place on 2nd holder.

## FRONT

Work as for back.

## FINISHING

Sew side seams and lower seam.

## Handles

At one side seam of Bag, place 9 sts from Front and 9 sts from Back holders onto needle.

**Row 1 (RS):** Knit, dec 4 sts evenly across row – 14 sts.

Work in Seed st until handle measures 11 in. [28 cm] from beg. Bind off. Rep for second handle on opposite side of bag. Sew handle seam. Weave in ends.

### ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES

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<u>beg = begin(s)(ning)</u>	<u>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</u>
<u>hdc = half double crochet</u>	<u>k = knit</u>
<u>p = purl</u>	<u>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</u>
<u>RS = right side</u>	<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>
<u>WS = wrong side</u>	

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